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## STOMACHS ON STILTS.

The man who puts on stilts does not increase his actual stature. He only feels taller. Stimulants are the stilts of the stomach. They make a man feel better for the time being, but he feels a great deal worse for them afterward.

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## Revenue Frauds.

At Greensboro, N. C., Saturday evening the grand jury of the special term of the federal court returned indictments in open court in twenty-eight true bills. Included in these bills in one case were forty-five federal officials and distillers for conspiracy to defraud the government. In other bills officers are charged with perjury, forgery, bribery, demanding bribes, false reports of captured or destroyed stills, false vouchers for expenses and false returns of whisky output of licensed distilleries. Some of the officers indicted have been recently removed or were allowed to resign. Among the deputy collectors indicted are prominent officials, republican politicians in their respective communities.

Against these officials there are many charges in each bill, besides the omnibus conspiracy bill, containing twelve separate counts. J. H. Smith, marked on bill as "Special Agent of Revenue Agent W. H. Chapman," has thirty distinct cases charged, eighteen for as many distilleries falsely reported seized or destroyed and twelve for conspiracy with as many different distillers to defraud the government out of revenue.

The banner defendant is ex-Deputy Collector B. N. Harden, said to be Congressman Blackburn's candidate for the marshaling of the district upon expiration of the present marshal's second term. There are forty-nine cases against him, embracing almost every offense known to the United States revenue laws. Of the ninety parties indicted, all were distillers or bar-keepers except eleven deputy collectors now or recently in office. Without exception these have been operating in Wilkes county.

It is predicted that at the next term of the court, the first Monday in October, that as many more bills will be found by that grand jury, but against an entirely different set of men, officials and others.

## Fell from a Balloon.

Thousands of people in all parts of Baltimore, besides the crowds at the carnival of the Trades Alliance at Highlandtown, Saturday evening saw John August, the aeronaut and gymnast, who has been making parachute drops daily from a big balloon, fall from his trapeze bar at a height of nearly two thousand feet. He fell in a yard a mile away from the point of ascension. From the carnival grounds the show manager and others saw that the gymnast, who in the ascent hung feet downward from the bar, was weakening as the balloon shot upward. They saw him try to double and draw himself up on the bar, but he could only catch it with one hand. Finally, after frantic clutching at the air with one hand, he raised himself, got both hands under the bar, tried once more to get over it, raised his body till the waist line touched the bar, and then let go.

After hurtling down with terrific force, August landed in the center of the back yard of Mr. August J. Weiss, breaking every bone in his body, depressing the ground to a depth of half a foot, and, when picked up, was a mass of lifeless, broken and bleeding flesh.

Thousands of persons who were watching the ascension in East Baltimore, Canton and Highlandtown, and from the tall office buildings of the city, witnessed the blood-curdling sight, and all that section of the city and county was stirred to the uttermost of feeling. No sooner had the doomed man started to slip from the security of his trapeze on his downward flight than a general rush was made for the spot of his fall, and the crowd which gathered in the neighborhood of the Weiss home numbered many thousands.

August's home was in Lancaster, Penn. He was twenty-five years old.

## Attempted Murder and Suicide.

Because his sixteen-year-old sweetheart persisted in her refusal to marry him and had ordered him to cease his attention, Lee Weddle, seventeen years of age, of Frederick, Md., is dead by his own hand, the sweetheart, Nellie Eichelberger, daughter of George C. Eichelberger, of Catoctin Furnace, is suffering from two pistol shot wounds that may prove fatal, and her friend and companion, Maud Davis, has a bullet wound through her arm. The tragedy took place Saturday night, Miss Eichelberger, with Miss Maud Davis and Miss Annie Fitz, was shopping, and had reached a public square when Weddle approached and took Miss Eichelberger to task for sending him his letter of dismissal. Upon reiterating the sentiments she had expressed in the letter, Weddle said: "If you do not marry me, you will never marry another man," and, drawing a revolver, he fired two shots at her. Both took effect in her back as she had started to run from him, the bullets striking the shoulder blades. One bullet passed through the arm of Miss Davis, inflicting an ugly flesh wound before it struck its victim. When Weddle saw Miss Eichelberger swoon and fall to the ground, he placed the weapon against his breast and sent two bullets into his heart, falling over dead on the body of his unconscious victim.

## Incredible Brutality

It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lumberger, of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "cut a fearful gash over my eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which quickly healed it and saved his eye." Good for burns and ulcers too. Only 50c at E. S. Leadbeater and Sons, drug store.

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## Germany's Meat Supply.

The price of cattle on the foot in Berlin yesterday was 14 1/2 cents a pound avoirdupois, and live hogs 14 cents a pound. It is these prices that caused the master butchers of Germany to petition the government yesterday to admit live animals free of duty. The butchers are joined in the protest by the municipal governments of 50 to 60 cities, among them being most of the manufacturing centers, where it is alleged industry is most injured by the increased cost of existence in Germany.

The agitation against the meat exclusion act has now gone on for two years with increasing force as the prices of meat have gone up slowly and steadily regardless of the lessening of consumption per head and the country's population increasing 750,000 annually. The farmers so far have been unable to correspondingly increase the number of food animals raised. They affirm through the agriculture conventions, landlors' associations and the agrarian party press that Germany can and will, and in fact does, produce a sufficiency of meat; that encouragement of the farmers is necessary to a symmetrical economic system and that to admit animals and meat free of duty now would ruin the farmers.

## THREE JURORS CURED

Of Cholera Morbus with One Small Bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Mr. G. W. Fowler of Hightower, Ala., relates an experience he had while serving on a petit jury in a murder case at Edwardsville, county seat of Cleburne county, Alabama. He says: "While there I ate some fresh meat and some source meat and it gave me cholera morbus in a very severe form. I was never more sick in my life and sent to the drug store for a certain cholera mixture, but the druggist sent me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy instead, saying that he had what I sent for, but that this medicine was so much better he would rather send it to me in the fix I was in. I took one dose of it and was better in five minutes. The second dose cured me entirely. Two fellow jurors were afflicted in the same manner and one twenty-five cent bottle cured the three of us." For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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